

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN**

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**In re:**

**ARCHDIOCESE OF MILWAUKEE,**

**Debtor.**

**Case No. 11-20059-svk**

**Chapter 11**

**Hon. Susan V. Kelley**

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**MOTION TO WITHDRAW THE REFERENCE FOR CLAIMS ALLOWANCE  
AND DISALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 157(d)**

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Archdiocese of Milwaukee, debtor and debtor in possession (the “Debtor”), moves the Court, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(d) and Rule 5011 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, for an order withdrawing the reference to the bankruptcy court in this district for claims allowance or disallowance in the above-captioned Chapter 11 case. The basis for this motion, as more fully set forth in the accompanying memorandum, is that withdrawing the reference promotes judicial economy, conserves resources, expedites the bankruptcy process, and reduces delay and costs because related cases are currently pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin. A listing of the related cases is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

WHEREFORE, the Debtor respectfully requests that the District Court withdraw the reference to the Bankruptcy Court for claims allowance or disallowance in the above-captioned Chapter 11 case.

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**Exhibit A**

**Related Cases Currently Pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern  
District of Wisconsin**

<u>Judge</u>	<u>Docket Number</u>
Rudolph T. Randa	12-CV-288-rtr
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Rudolph T. Randa	12-CV-290-rtr
Rudolph T. Randa	12-CV-291-rtr
Rudolph T. Randa	12-CV-292-rtr